

## CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1 - 17. (canceled)

1        18. (new) A quick-connect plug connector comprising:  
2                a tubular contact holder extending along an axis and  
3                formed with a transverse partition formed with a plurality of  
4                axially throughgoing seat holes;  
5                respective metallic contacts fitted to the holes and  
6                extending through the partition, each contact having to a rear side  
7                of the partition a pair of generally U-section axially extending  
8                arms concave toward each other and separated by an axially  
9                rearwardly open split tapering forward toward the partition and to  
10              a front side of the partition a contact part; and  
11              a wire holder in the contact holder rearward of the  
12              partition and formed with respective wire-holding passages  
13              dimensioned to receive and grip respective wires with conductors of  
14              the wires wedged in the respective splits.

1        19. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        arms are of annularly segmental section.

1        20. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        arms are of elliptical section.

1           21. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        arms are of L-section.

1           22. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        arms are at least partially nonmovably fixed in the wire holder.

1           23. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        wire passages are provided with formations that deflect the wires  
3        into the split between the arms.

1           24. (new) The connector defined in claim 23 wherein the  
2        formations are transverse projections in the passages.

1           25. (new) The connector defined in claim 24 wherein  
2        each passage has a plurality of the transverse projections spaced  
3        angularly and not overlapping axially.

1           26. (new) The connector defined in claim 18 wherein the  
2        wire passages are angularly equispaced about the axis.

1           27. (new) The connector defined in claim 26 wherein the  
2        passages include one central passage at the axis.